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1. [redacted] three naval craft within about five miles of Constanta. 25X1
They had single funnels and were painted dark blue. In Tuzla [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] three other ships of the same size with the word "Liberta" written on them. [redacted] the ships were patrol craft 25X1
subsequently seen in the Constanta harbor. 25X1
2. Antiaircraft gunfire was observed along the coast in the vicinity of Midia. During the firing [redacted] a lighted flying target. The lights of the searchlights converged on the target. 25X1
3. After entering the harbor the ship was boarded by an officer and nine men, all armed; the ship's complement was assembled and searched. They were primarily searching for telescopes and rifles, but they also searched the books. [redacted] the party [redacted] refused to accept cigarettes and liquor [redacted] 25X1
3. Bands played dance music in the parks in Constanta during the afternoon and members of the crew danced with the Rumanian girls. Most of the people wore shabby and dirty clothes. Some asked crew members for their old shirts. The ship's complement had their meals on board ship because of the high prices of food ashore.
4. With the exception of the northern coast, the sea shore is closed to swimming. Guards prohibit access to other parts of the coast.

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